

### REMARKS

Claims 1-3 and 5-18 are pending in this application. Claims 19-26 have been canceled; the 35 U.S.C. § 102 and 35 U.S.C. § 112 rejections directed to these claims in the Office Action are moot in light of the cancellation of these claims.

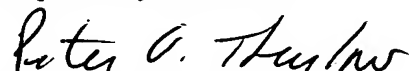
Applicant notes that the Office Action Summary page states that a copy of the priority document has not been received in this case. Applicant encloses herewith a Submission of Priority document, and hereby request that the Examiner acknowledge receipt of the priority document in this case.

Applicant hereby requests entry of this amendment and the issuance of a Notice of Allowance, especially since the pending claims were previously identified as "allowed".

No additional fees are believed to be due for this amendment. Should any additional fees be required, please charge such fees to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 16-1150.

Respectfully submitted,

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